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AMENDMENT TO NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY MULTIFAMILY HOUSING PROGRAM SUPPORTIVE HOUSING COMPONENT ISSUED MARCH 7, 2006

The Department of Housing and Community Development (Department) issued a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Supportive Housing Component of the Multifamily Housing Program (MHP) on March 7, 2006. The NOFA announced the availability of approximately \$25 million in MHP Supportive Housing funding and announced that MHP General funds may be available to fund non-Supportive Housing units in qualified Supportive Housing projects. The NOFA provided for an application submission period running from March 15, 2006 until June 30, 2006, or until such time as the Department has received what it determines to be a sufficient number of applications to reasonably use all funds currently available.

The Department has received a sufficient number of applications to reasonably use all the funds originally announced as available and amendments to the NOFA are hereby established as follows:

- The \$25 million in MHP Supportive Housing funding originally announced shall be supplemented with approximately \$38 million in additional MHP Supportive Housing funding.
- The application submittal period shall be extended until such time as the funds specified directly above are exhausted.

Extraordinary demand under the MHP General Component has reduced MHP General funds to levels adequate only to achieve one more MHP General funding round. Consequently, MHP General funds shall not be made available to supplement the MHP Supportive Housing funds under the March 7, 2006 NOFA. MHP Supportive Housing funds may be utilized to provide funding for Supportive Housing units and non-Supportive Housing units in eligible Supportive Housing projects.

The \$38 million supplement represents the remainder of the MHP Supportive Housing funding made available under Proposition 46. Organizations considering applying for the funds are encouraged to do so at the earliest feasible time.

Sincerely,

Richard Friedman Acting Deputy Director